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Applicant : Paul Marie Pierre Gavarini

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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ATTENTION: BOX MISSING PARTS

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(f),  
which was mailed by the Office on October 20, 2000, enclosed are the following documents:

- (X) An executed Declaration by Inventor(s);
- (X) A Power of Attorney Form and Copy of Assignment;
- (X) A Notice to File Missing Parts;
- (X) A check in the amount of \$621.00 to cover the filing fees; and
- (X) A return prepaid postcard.
  
- (X) An extension of time to respond for 1 month is hereby requested;

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| (X) | one month    | (\$55 small entity)  |
| ()  | two months   | (\$195 small entity) |
| ()  | three months | (\$445 small entity) |

Assignee is a small entity and such status is still proper and desired.

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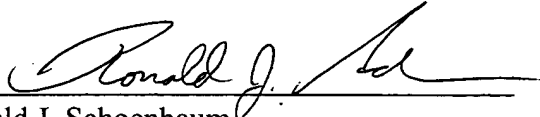
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Fees as calculated below:

FILING FEE UNPAID AT TIME OF FILING		\$ 501.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (SMALL ENTITY)	1 month	\$ 55.00
SURCHARGE 37 CFR 1.16(e)		\$ + 65.00
TOTAL FEES SUBMITTED HEREWITH		\$ 621.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, now or in the future, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

  
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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 345 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$156.
  - \$156 for 4 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 566.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

  
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